

IC 31-16-21

Chapter 21. Annual Fee Payable to Court in Addition to Support Payments

IC 31-16-21-1

Payment; contempt

Sec. 1. (a) Whenever in any court proceeding an order is in force for the support and maintenance of the other party to the proceeding, the individual required to pay the support shall pay the support.

(b) The clerk, if the payment is in cash, or the state central collection unit, for all other forms of payment, shall collect from the individual, in addition to the payments, the fee specified in IC 33-37-5-6.

(c) The clerk may collect any unpaid fee in a proceeding for contempt.

(d) The state central collection unit may collect any unpaid fee through any lawful means, including income withholding.

As added by P.L.1-1997, SEC.8. Amended by P.L.98-2004, SEC.103; P.L.148-2006, SEC.28.

IC 31-16-21-2

Court ordered provision for payment

Sec. 2. The court entering an order described in section 1(a) of this chapter shall include a provision in the order that requires the individual to pay the support and maintenance fee.

As added by P.L.1-1997, SEC.8.

IC 31-16-21-3

Supplemental remedies

Sec. 3. This chapter is supplemental to all other statutes relating to support payments.

As added by P.L.1-1997, SEC.8.